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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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B1	WO 02/072086 A2	9/19/2002	PCT
B2	WO 02/39822 A2	5/23/2002	PCT
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OTHER DOCUMENTS

- C1 Derwent English language abstract of JP 05 292885, abstract no. XP-002312934 (Document B4 above).
- C2 Patent Abstracts of Japan, vol. 0145, no. 62, English language abstract of JP 02 243622 (Document B5 above).
- C3 Shirai and Suzuki, "*Effects of simultaneous docosahexaenoic acid and catechin intakes on the plasma and liver lipids in low- and high-fat diet fed mice*," Nutrition Research, 23, pp. 959-969 (2003).

The Examiner's independent consideration of all of these documents and their relevance before issuance of the first official action is respectfully requested. The Examiner is also requested to initial and return a copy of the accompanying form PTO-1449 to evidence such consideration.

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